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WHOLESALE PRICE LIST OF

Rooted Carnation Cuttings

INCLUDING THE MAGNIFICENT NEW PINK VARIETY.

EDNA CRAIG, ALSO DAYBREAK, THOMAS CARTLEDGE, LIZZIE McGOWAN,

And Other Choice, Thoroughly Tested Novelties and Prize Varieties.

For the Winter Season of 1892-93 and Spring of 1893.

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Fifty plants will be sold at the one hundred rates and five hundred will be sold at the thousand rates.

Orders will be booked when received and filled in rotation. No charge is made for packing.

When plants are ordered by mail, ten cents should be added for each hundred ordered. I would strongly urge, however, that the express is the best method of conveyance unless for very small quantities.

My stock is in the best of health and as I propagate from none other, the best results are ensured.

Stock will be carefully packed and as light as possible, with a view of securing the lowest express charges.

Please, when ordering, write name and address and all necessary shipping instructions as plainly and fully as possible, also state the express most desirable to send by.

Cash must accompany the order in all cases, unless approved references are given, or satisfactory business relations already exist.

WHITE VARIETIES.

Lizzie McGowan.—This magnificent carnation has more than sustained its very high reputation, and it stands unsurpassed as a White Carnation at the present time, it is undoubtedly the most abundant flowering and largest white now available, and the fact that three quarters of a million young plants were sold last season of this one sort, speaks volumes, per 100 \$2.00; per 1000 \$15.00.

Puritan.—A splendid new variety, having large pure white flowers, per 100 \$3.00; per 1000 \$25.00.

Lamborn.—A grand white carnation where it succeeds, flowers large, pure white, and very free. \$2.00 per 100; \$15 per 1000.

Silver Spray.—A splendid white variety, and still very popular in some localities. Per 100 \$2.00; per 1000 \$25.00.

White Dove.—Large pure white, deeply fringed flower, long stems, and very desirable fragrant variety. \$3.00 per 100.

PINK VARIETIES.

Edna Craig.—(New) Rich peach blossom pink of the most lovely tint. A strong robust grower, with long, stout stems, flowers handsomely fringed, fragrant, large, and of perfect form. A jar of this magnificent Carnation exhibited at the last November Exhibition of the Pennsylvania Horticultural Society attracted marked attention, and was regarded as an important feature among the large number of Carnations present, and the placing of this splendid variety upon the market will be the event of the season. Price per dozen, \$3.00; per 100 \$12.00; per 1000, \$100.00. Ready for Delivery, Feb., 1893.

Brewster.—Very large rich carmine flower, strong, vigorous grower, and highly fragrant. Per 100 \$3.00.

Beauty.—Rose, a very handsome sort. Per 100 \$3.00.

Mrs. F. Mangold.—Rich salmon pink, large flowers and a desirable variety. Per 100 \$3; per 1000 \$25.

Ben Hur.—Bright Grace Wilder tint, with finely formed, deeply fringed, fragrant flowers, freely produced on long stiff stems. Per 100 \$3.00; per 1000 \$25.00.

Annie Weigand.—Delicate pink, exquisitely formed flower and excellent habit. Per 100 \$2.00; per 1000 \$15.00.

Grace Wilder.—The old standby. Per 100 \$1.50; per 1000 \$10.00.

Grace Darling.—Delicate peach blossom, a little deeper shade than the last, deeply fringed, finely formed fragrant flowers. Price per 100 \$3.00; per 1000 \$25.00.

Fred Creighton.—A delicate shade of pink, strong grower and very desirable variety. Per 100 \$2.00; per 1000 \$15.00.

Mrs. Lemuel Fawcett.—Schrimp, or salmon pink, new and very distinct color. Per 100 \$3.00; per 1000 \$25.00.

DARK PINK.

Thos. Cartledge.—A new and splendid Carnation of most desirable form and habit, and rich deep carmine color, fragrant and very productive. Per 100 \$3; per 1000 \$25.

Mrs. R. Hitt.—Rich carmine, with long stiff stems, flowers large, finely formed, fragrant and very handsome.
Per 100 \$3.00; per 1000 \$25.00.

Attraction.—Rosy scarlet, quite new and distinct in color, exceedingly brilliant and attractive, a remarkable free flowerer. Per 100 \$3.00; per 1000 \$25.00.

Tidal Wave.—Rich, deep pink, large flower, fine long stems, an excellent variety. Per 100 \$2; per 1000 \$15.

Wm. F. Dreer.—One of Chas. T. Starr's best introductions, much like the last, but much larger. Per 100 \$2.00; per 1000 \$15.00.

LIGHT PINK CARNATIONS.

Edwin Lonsdale.—Fine large flower of Malmaison or blush tint. Strong grower and most desirable in every way.
Per 100 \$3.00.

Nancy Hanks.—Very slightly darker tint than the last, remarkably strong grower, long stiff stems, flowers of most exquisite form and texture. Per 100 \$5; per 1000 \$35.

Daybreak.—This is a model carnation of very light or Malmaison pink tint, flowers large, of perfect form, produced on long, stiff stems, is strictly first-class. It is indeed a beauty. Per 100 \$3.00; per 1,000 \$25.00.

VARIEGATED CARNATIONS.

Chester Pride.—White, delicately striped with pink. A splendid sort. Per 100 \$2.00.

Hinsdale.—White, streaked and laced with pink. Per 100 \$2.00.

Paxton.—Pure white with bright rosy variegation, very handsome. Per 100 \$2.00.

American Flag.—A sport from Portia with red and white variegations, which are very decided, very free flowing and most useful variety. Per 100 \$2.00; per 1000 \$15.00.

Peach Blow Coronet.—Bright pink tipped with white. Very handsome. Per 100 \$3.00.

Nellie Bly.—Variegated red and white in narrow stripes, flower handsomely fringed, stem long and moderately stiff, a free bloomer. Per 100 \$5.00.

American Florist.—Orange and carmine, very free flowing and very handsome. Per 100 \$5.00.

General Custer.—Red and white variegated, red largely predominating, very handsome and free flowing. Per 100 \$5.

May Flower.—White, profusely and heavily striped with pink and carmine. Per 100 \$3.00.

Dawn.—White, with blush centre, good size, very handsome flowers. Per 100 \$3.00.

Orange Blossom.—White, with rich pink centre deeply fringed, fragrant flowers, one of the very handsomest Carnations. Per 100 \$5.00.

Motor.—Salmon dashed and striped with red, very fine, distinct variety. Per 100 \$5.

Indiana.—Very large, deeply fringed flowers, upright grower and free bloomer, creamy white and flaked with pink and carmine, very fine and handsome. Per 100 \$5.00.

J. J. Harrison.—One of the finest, fine large flower handsomely variegated, white and pink. Per 100 \$3.00.

Mrs. Carnegie.—Large variegated handsomely striped with pink. Per 100 \$2.00.

Nellie Lewis.—Light pink streaked and splashed with darker hues. A very valuable Carnation. Per 100 \$3.00; per 1000 \$25.00,

SCARLET CARNATIONS.

New Jersey.—A seedling by Mr. McGowan, said to be the coming scarlet. It is a very large, brilliant scarlet finely formed flower with a long, stiff stem and commanding appearance. Per 100 \$12.00; per doz. \$3.00. Ready for delivery February, 1893.

Portia.—Intense, vivid scarlet, an old stand-by of first quality. Per 100 \$1.50; per 1000 \$10.00.

Hector.—Intense scarlet, flowers much larger than Portia. A grand variety. Per 100 \$2.00; per \$1000 \$15.00.

Constancy.—Brilliant scarlet of lighter tint than the two last named. Per 100 \$3.00.

Fred Dorner.—Very large deep scarlet, with a mere tinge of crimson. Three inches in diameter is a common size for the flower. Per 100 \$3.

E. G. Hill.—Another splendid sort of same type as last, also producing immense flowers of an intense scarlet, finely formed flowers. Per 100 \$3.00.

Robert Craig.—Intense, brilliant scarlet, rather late in coming into flower. A splendid variety for pot culture.
Per 100 \$2.00; per 1000 \$15.00.

Emily Pierson.—Mr. Pierson, of Cromwell, Connecticut, who is a large grower, and who raised this variety, has adopted it as the best scarlet for general florist's use. Per 100 \$3.00; per 1000 \$25.00.

CRIMSON CARNATIONS.

Pride of Kennett.—Deep rich crimson with stiff, erect stems, a very free flowering sort of strong, compact growth.
Per 100 \$2.00; per 1000 \$15.00.

Anna Webb.—A valuable standard, sort of excellent quality, producing abundantly, long stemmed, deeply fringed, rich crimson, highly fragrant flowers, per 100 \$1.50; per 1000 \$10.00.

Ferdinand Mangold.—Greatly resembling the last, but regarded by many growers as a decided improvement in several particulars. Per 100 \$3.00; per 1000 \$25.00.

J. R. Freeman.—One of Mr. Starr's seedlings and a valuable acquisition, being a rich ruby red rather than crimson and remarkably free flowering. Per 100 \$2.00; per 1000 \$15.00.

Crimson Coronet.—Splendid deep rich crimson, flowers freely produced, on long, stiff stems, strong, handsome grower. Per 100 \$3.00; per 1000 \$25.00.

YELLOW CARNATIONS.

Buttercup.—Large yellow streaked with rose and carmine. A magnificent carnation and always scarce. Per 100 \$4.00.

Louise Porsch.—More delicately tinted than the last, but a strong grower and very free flowering, consequently a valuable acquisition. Per 100 \$2.00; per 1000 \$15.00.

Golden Gate.—Clear yellow, free bloomer and a very strong grower, and a most desirable acquisition. Per 100 \$2.00; per 1000 \$15.00.

Golden Triumph.—Light yellow, very slightly streaked with pink, flowers produced in large clusters, each flower having a stem of sufficient length, bids fair to be a valuable acquisition. Per 100 \$3.00; per 1000 \$25.00.

Andalusia.—Lemon yellow, strong, upright grower, flowers large and freely produced, slightly inclined to burst its calyx if allowed to remain too long on the plant. Per 100 \$3.00.

In presenting my Carnation circular this season I respectfully inform my customers that extensive additions have been made to my stock during the past year, many of which are named herein. And having at the same time increased my facilities for Carnation culture, will enable me to promptly meet all demands for stock. Intending purchasers of large quantities will find it to their advantage to communicate with and submit their lists to me before purchasing elsewhere. I shall always be pleased to compete for the filling of the same on satisfactory terms.

My stock will be found perfectly healthy, and to consist of the very cream of Carnations at present in cultivation. At the exhibition in Madison Square Garden, New York, November 1st, 1892, the prize of twenty-five dollars was awarded H. E. Chitty, for twenty-five flowering carnation plants in pots. On November 3d the first prize was awarded H. E. Chitty for the best collection of cut blooms of Carnations, this being a collection of twenty-five varieties, twelve blooms of each.

On November 7th, 1892, the Pennsylvania Horticultural Society's first prize was awarded H. E. Chitty for the best collection of cut blooms of carnations, being a collection of twenty-one varieties, twelve blooms of each. Several other first premiums were awarded H. E. Chitty on the same occasion for Carnations in bunches of separate colors, notably *White*, *Dark Pink*, *Variegated* and *Crimson*, the white variety being a superb bunch of *Lizzie McGowan*, which is undoubtedly the best white at present in cultivation. My saleable stock will be taken from the same plants as produced the prize-taking flowers, mentioned above.

Carnation Culture, the third edition as revised and perfected by L. L. Lamborn, and containing about everything known upon the subject up to date of publication, will be forwarded, postage prepaid, on receipt of \$1.50. This book will be found of great value to Carnation growers. I will also send a copy of this book free of charge, with all orders of ten dollars and upwards that are entrusted to my care.

H. E. CHITTY.

PATERSON, NEW JERSEY.

